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1 1 A method for providing dynamic assistance for disabled user
2 interface resources comprising the steps:
3 identifying code for disabling controls;
4 changing a state of identified code from disabled to disabled with
5 assistance;
6 providing assistance text to explain why control is disabled; and
7 providing code for correcting a condition for disabling control.

3. A method for providing dynamic assistance for disabled user interface resources as recited in claim 2 includes the steps of identifying a user selection of said assistance icon and displaying said assistance text.

1 5. A method for providing dynamic assistance for disabled user
2 interface resources as recited in claim 4 includes the steps of identifying a
3 user selection of said adjustment button; and utilizing said code for
4 correcting condition for disabling control, and executing an action on eligible
5 items.

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1 8. A computer system having apparatus for providing dynamic
2 assistance for disabled user interface resources comprising:
3 a processor,
4 a memory;
5 a display;
6 a bus connecting said processor, said memory and said display,
7 a GUI dynamic assistance program, a graphical user interface
8 including a disabled with assistance menu item; said GUI dynamic
9 assistance program performing the steps of:
10 identifying code for disabling controls;
11 changing a state of identified code from disabled to disabled with
12 assistance;
13 providing assistance text to explain why control is disabled;
14 providing code for correcting a condition for disabling control;
15 displaying an assistance icon for viewing by a user;
16 identifying a user selection of said assistance icon; and
17 displaying said assistance text and displaying an adjustment button.

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1 11. A computer program product for implementing dynamic
2 assistance for disabled user interface resources as recited in claim 10 further
3 includes the steps of identifying a user selection of said assistance icon and
4 displaying said assistance text.

1 12. A computer program product for implementing dynamic
2 assistance for disabled user interface resources as recited in claim 9 further
3 includes the steps of displaying an adjustment button; identifying a user
4 selection of said adjustment button; and utilizing said code for correcting
5 said condition for disabling control, and executing an action on eligible items.